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House Resolution 659

By: Representatives Lane of the 158th, Burns of the 157th, Parrish of the 156th, Burkhalter of the 50th, Keen of the 179th, and others

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Honoring the life and memory of Mr. Johnny James McGlamery; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, the State of Georgia mourns the loss of one of its most distinguished citizens
- 3 with the passing of Mr. Johnny James McGlamery on January 21, 2009; and
- 4 WHEREAS, Mr. McGlamery was born in Bulloch County, Georgia, a beloved son of the late
- 5 Claude B. and Bertha Stringer McGlamery; and
- 6 WHEREAS, he served as a guardian of this nation's freedom and liberty with the United
- 7 States Army and was a graduate of Georgia Southern College and the FBI National
- 8 Academy; and
- 9 WHEREAS, Mr. McGlamery valiantly and bravely protected his community and neighbors
- 10 as a Georgia State Trooper for ten years and retired from his position as an inspector with the
- 11 Georgia Bureau of Investigation after 20 years of dedicated service; and
- 12 WHEREAS, Mr. McGlamery was united in love and marriage to his adoring wife, Florence,
- 13 and was blessed with the love of three children, Johnna, Kirk, and Brian, and nine
- 14 grandchildren; and
- 15 WHEREAS, he was a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation
- 16 for integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness and, by the example he made of his life, he
- 17 made this world a better place in which to live; and
- 18 WHEREAS, a compassionate and generous man, Mr. McGlamery will long be remembered
- 19 for his love of fishing, family, and friendship, and this loyal husband, father, neighbor, and
- 20 friend will be missed by all who had the great fortune of knowing him.

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21 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that

- 22 the members of this body join in honoring the life and memory of Mr. Johnny James
- 23 McGlamery and express their deepest and most sincere regret at his passing.
- 24 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
- and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the family of Mr. Johnny
- 26 James McGlamery.